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PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 06502.0289-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Germano CARONNI et al.) Group Art Unit: 2135
Application No.: 09/457,914) Examiner: Leynne A. Ha
Filed: December 10, 1999)
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR) Confirmation No.: 8208
ENABLING SCALABLE)
SECURITY IN A VIRTUAL)
PRIVATE NETWORK)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed June 5, 2006, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper, and begin on
page 14.